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For: ISOLATED HUMAN TRANSPORTER
PROTEINS, NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES
ENCODING HUMAN TRANSPORTER
PROTEINS, AND USES THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for
examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE FIGURES

Figure 1, page 1 of 2, at the end of line 28, insert - (SEQ ID NO:1)--.

Figure 1, page 1 of 2, at the end of line 61, insert - (SEQ ID NO:2)--.

Figure 2, page 1 of 4, at the end of line 10, insert - (SEQ ID NO:3)--.

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Figure 2, page 4 of 4, at the end of line 7, insert - (SEQ ID NO:7)--.

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